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To MIKOYAN.

On 17 June Consul LOMAKIN[1] informed us of the arrest in San Francisco of Comrade KHABALOV[11]. About 12 midnight KHABALOV was returning from a movie, on the street he noticed two men with a package who, having dropped the package [2 groups unrecovered]. KHABALOV [1 group unrecovered] the package with a view to turning it over to the police, but as a consequence of this was arrested on the street

[10 groups unrecoverable]

Comments:

[1] LOMAKIN: Yakov Mironovich LOMAKIN, Consul-general in San Francisco.

[11] KHABALOV: Captain Nikolaj A. KHABALOV, Assistant representative of the Portland office of the Soviet Government Purchasing Commission, in charge of ship supplies. See also [redacted] message #1348 of 19 June 1943, Washington to Moscow.

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